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                       AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1825
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          AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 1825, AS AMENDED,
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      by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the
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      following:
          "Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing
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      Sections 1-55 and 9-80 as follows:
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          (35 ILCS 200/1-55)
          Sec. 1-55. 33 1/3%. Except as provided in Section 9-80,
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      one-third One-third of the fair cash value of property, as
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      determined by the Department's sales ratio studies for the 3
      most recent years preceding the assessment year, adjusted to
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      take into account any changes in assessment levels implemented
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      since the data for the studies were collected.
      (Source: P.A. 86-1481; 87-877; 88-455.)
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         (35 ILCS 200/9-80)
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Sec. 9-80. Authority to revise assessments; Counties of less than 3,000,000.

(a) The chief county assessment officer in counties with less than 3,000,000 inhabitants shall have the same authority as the township or multi-township assessor to assess and to make changes or alterations in the assessment of property, and shall assess and make such changes or alterations in the assessment of property as though originally made. Changes by the chief county assessment officer in valuations shall be noted in a column provided, and no change shall be made in the original assessor's figures.

When the chief county assessment officer or his or her deputy views property for the purposes of assessing the property or determining whether a change or alteration in the assessment of the property is required, he or she shall give notice to the township assessor by U.S. Mail at least 5 days but not more than 30 days prior to the viewing, so that the assessor may arrange to be present at the viewing. He or she shall also give notice to owners of the properties by means of notices in a paper of general circulation in the township. The notices shall state the chief county assessment officer's intention to view the property but need not specify the date and time of the viewing. When the chief county assessment officer or his or her deputy is present at the property to be viewed, immediately prior to the viewing, he or she shall make a reasonable effort to ascertain if the owner or his or her

- 1 representative, or the assessor, are on the premises and to
- 2 inform them of his or her intention to view the property.
- Failure to provide notice to the township assessor and owner 3
- 4 shall not of and by itself invalidate any change in an
- 5 assessment. A viewing under this Section and Section 9-155
- 6 means actual viewing of the visible property in its entirety
- from, on or at the site of the property. 7
- (b) On or before October 1, 2009, the county assessor of 8
- 9 Madison County and St. Clair County shall each reassess all
- 10 property in the respective county at 33 1/3% of the fair cash
- 11 value of the property, as determined by the Department's sales
- ratio studies for the most recent year preceding the assessment 12
- 13 year.
- 14 (c) All changes and alterations in the assessment of
- 15 property shall be subject to revision by the board of review in
- 16 the same manner that original assessments are reviewed.
- (Source: P.A. 81-0838; 81-1055; 81-1509; 88-455.) 17
- 18 Section 90. The State Mandates Act is amended by adding
- 19 Section 8.34 as follows:
- 20 (30 ILCS 805/8.34 new)
- 21 Sec. 8.34. Exempt mandate. Notwithstanding Sections 6 and 8
- 22 of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required for the
- 23 implementation of any mandate created by this amendatory Act of
- 24 the 96th General Assembly.

- 1 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 2 becoming law.".